TWO SUICIDES IN BROOKLYN.

William Zimmerman, an importer offirinmings, at No. 384 Broadway, this city, was found dead in his house at No. 93 Paris-place, Brooklyn, yesterday morning. He went home at the usual time Monday evening, and as he did not feel well, he lay down on a lounge for several hours. Shortly before midnight he retired with his wife. Mrs. Zimmerman was not disturbed in the night, but when she awoke vesterday morning her husband had left the bed. She found him in the bath-room adjoining, in a kneeling position on the floor, with his chin resting on the edge of the bath tub. Partly under him was a small foot bath. On the floor in front of him was a large pool of blood, and his clothing was saturated with blood. A seven-chambered Smith & Wesson revolver lay in the blood by his side, one chamber having been discharged.

Dr. Pratt was summoned, and pronounced him dead. The doctor conveyed the information to Coroner Simms, who lives on the same block, and an examination of Mr. Zimmerman's body was made, but no mark of a pistol shot wound could be found. No motive could be assigned for his taking his life. He was a man of jovial nature, and when he came home on Monday was in good spirits, although he complained of feeling sick. He was forty-two years of age and weighed about 300 pounds. He leaves five children. His place of business was recently burned out, but he was fully insured and suffered no loss. A post mortem examination was made by Dr. Shepard yesterday afternoon. He found that the deceased man shot himself in the mouth, the bullet passing into his brain and lodging against the skull. Coroner Simms will hold the inquest to-day.

The watchman at the foot of North Fifth-st., Brooklyn, saw a man jump overboard from the pier at that street about 4:30 a. m. yesterday. He extended a pole to him, but the man refused to seize it and was drowned. His body was recovered and taken to the Morgue. The man was about fifty-five years of age, five feet ten inches tall, with side whiskers, and wore a dark blu TWO SUICIDES IN BROOKLYN.

IMPRISONED FOR LIFE FOR MURDER.

William Weeks, jointly indicted with the negro
James Seaman, for the nurder of the old fisherman
William Rhodes, at Hicksville, on the night of December 17, 1878, was placed on trial in the Queens
County Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday
morning at Long Island City, Judge Barnard presiding. An extra panel of fifty jurors had been summoned and a jury was obtained in an hour and a
half, and several witnesses were examined by the
prosecution, among them the negro Seaman, who
was sentenced to the State Prison for life for the
same offence on Tuesday last. His testimony was
substantially the statement made in his confession
before Justice Gosee when he was arrested. At the
assembling of the Court after the noon recess,
George A. Mott, of counsel for the prisoner, asked
to withdraw the plea of not guilty and interpose a
plea of guilty of murder in the second degree. The
Court and the District Attorney consenting, the
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In reply to the usual questions of the clerk, Wecks said that he was fifty-two years of age, was born in Huntington, Suffolk County, and had served four terms in the State Prison for burglary. When asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon him he answered no. Judge Barnard then said to him: "You committed a most brutal and atrocious crime, and this for you is the end of a life of vice. The sentence of the Court is that you be confined in the State Prison for life." When taken down to the cell, Weeks said to the officers: "I am not guilty of the marder." He gave the officers some valuable information regarding burglaries and other crimes that have been committed in Queens and Suffolk Counties within the last few years. Both, he and Scaman will be taken to Sing Sing to-day.

TROUBLES OF WORKINGMEN.

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The piano-carvers employed by David Scheele have received an advance in wages of from ten to twenty per cent. The cabinetmakers of Vandewater, No. 62 Ann-st., will hereafter work fifty-three hours a week and be paid \$16.50. Those employed by Bannttz, Diehi & Co., at Nos. 141 and 143 Seventh-ave., have received an advance of ten per cent, making a total increase since the year began of from twenty-five to thirty per cent. The striking eigarmakers of L. & E. Kaufmann have compromised by accepting half the advance they asked for, and those employed by Levy, in East Tenth-st., have done the same. The workmen comployed by a contractor named Stanley, filling in near Harsimus Cove, Jersey City, struck yesterday morning for an advance of twenty-five cents a day.

In the furniture manufactory of Solomon & Sons. the employe's combined to obtain the discharge of an obnoxious fellow-workman, a carver, who had formerly been a contractor, in which they succeeded. The strike of the casemakers in the employ of Marx Brothers continues.

The omnibus drivers of the three city lines are much dissatisfied with their present wages, and are ready to sign a petition, to be presented to their employers, asking that hereafter they receive \$2 a day. It is impossible for them to organize, they say, since they work sixteen or seventeen hours a day, and need the few remaining hours for sleep.

THE WAYSIDE HOME.

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A charity has recently been organized by benevolent ladies in Brooklyn under the name of "The Wayside Home." Its design is to furnish occupation and the comforts and influence of a Christian home to homeless women, especially whose who have been discharged from prison. It is not an almsgiving institution, but to poor, uneducated, friendless and erring women who have self-respect enough left to want to earn an honest living, cordial aid is offered. Those who know how to work a little and desire to become more skilful, will find room and help. The Home is in charge of a competent matron, and the immates seem lappy and contented in her care. The expenses are met by monthly and yearly subscriptions from those interested in the charity, and as far as possible, by work performed by the immates. The Home is open to all friends of the work, and contributions of furniture, clothing or money in large or small quantities, are asked for. The officers are: Mrs. E. F. Pettengill, president, No. 404 Dekalb-ave.; Mrs. Anna C. Pield, vice-president, No. 158 Hicks-st.; Miss C. E. Coffin, secretary, No. 180 Hall-st.

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John Smith is a night watchman on the Iron Pier at Coney Island, and lives in a house near the last toll gate on the old Coney Island road. On Monday evening he left his home about eight o'clock and went to his work. Early yesterday morning a man named Ericson, who lives in the same house, went to Smith and told him that Mrs. Smith had been found dead in her bedroom on the first floor. Smith hurried home and found his wife in the attitude of kneeling in front of a bureau, with her arms outstretched. During the forenoon he came to Brooklyn, accompanied by Frederick Johnson, Mrs. Smith's sister's husband, and reported the facts to Coroner Henry C. Simms. Smith said that there was a cut under his wife's chin and that her throat was much discolored. He stated that his wife's wedding ring was missing from her finger, and that suspicions had been aroused by the actions of the Simms is disposed to think that the woman died from natural causes. He will go to Coney Island to-day to investigate the case. Dr. Shepard will accompany him to make a post mortem examination. MYSTERIOUS DEATH AT CONEY ISLAND.

NEW-YORK FIFTY YEARS AGO.

E. D. Morgan, John A. Stewart, the Rev. Dr. Henry C. Potter, Samuel D. Babcock, John Jacob Astor, Samuel Sloan, the Rev. Dr. E. A. Washburn, W. H. Vanderbilt, Henry Hilton, James M. Brown, Howard Potter, Royal Phelps, F. S. Winston, A. A. Low, H. E. Claffin, Peter Cooper, Charles H. Russell and William Walter Phelps have written a letter to William E. Dodge, saying that they have learned with pleasure that he has been induced to write out many of his recollections as a citizen and merchant during the last half century, and asking him to give them an opportunity to hear him lecture on the changes of fifty years. Mr. Dedge has consented and will deliver his lecture on New-York Fifty Years Ago at Association Hall Tuesday evening, April 27. NEW-YORK FIFTY YEARS AGO.

NO TRACE OF A SPRINGER ESTATE.

A cable dispatch from London, dated April 19, and published yesterday morning, referred to the expectation of five persons at Stattgart to come into possession of an inheritance in America of \$10,000,000 left by one Springer, who was said to have come to New-York 150 years ago and to have died without heirs. Springer is said to have been the great-great-granduncle of the alleged inheritors, and his property, it was stated, including a considerable tract in the city of New-York, has been for many years in the hands of the State pending the appearance of claimants.

Inquiries were made yesterday of a large number of persons familiar with New-York real estate and the titles thereto, but no trace of such an estate could be found. The only estate in the city bearing a name similar to that mentioned in the dispatch is the Springler estate. But the titles in the case of this estate are not questionable. NO TRACE OF A SPRINGER ESTATE.

HIGHER PRICES FOR GRAIN.

There was a reaction in the breadstuffs market resterday, and wheat advanced from two to three cents a bushel above Monday's closing prices. This was due to a better export inquiry and a disposition of the "shorts" to cover contracts in consequence of the turn in the market after closing hours on Monday. Corn was a half cent higher at the close, with light offerings. Flour was in better demand and from five to ten cents a barrel higher.

WRECK OF A PILOT BOAT.

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A dispatch was received at the headquarters of the Sandy Hook pilots yesterday that the pilot boat W. H. Aspinwall had gone ashore one mile west of Fire Island at 6 a. m., during a dense fog. The last pilot had been put on a steamer east of Block Island, and the boat was returning to port in charge of the boat-keeper when she went ashore. The masts were cut away in the hope that slie would float, but the high seas drove her further up on the beach and in a dangerous position. The crew were

rescued by the people of Life-Saving station No. 25. Captain Walter Brewer, who commanded the lost boat and was part owner, said yesterday that she would probably prove a total loss. She was valued at \$10,000 and was uninsmed. She was built in February, 1861, and her other owners were Mrs. Dale. Henry L. Weaver, John Shooks and James Catlahan.

MR. TALMAGE'S SUPPORTERS. ANSWER TO DR. VAN DYKE AND MR. CROSBY'S COMPLAINT-MR. GREENE BESENIS AN INDIG-NITY-THE TABERNACLE'S FINANCIAL CLAIM

COMPLAINT—MR. GREENE RESENTS AN INFIGNITY—THE TABERNACLE'S FINANCIAL CLAIM ALLOWRD.

The Brooklyn Presbytery resumed its session at 4 p. m. yesterday, in the Brooklyn Tabernacle. Moderator Peck offered the opening prayer. The Rev. O. B. St. John, who was elected stated clerk on Monday, resigned that position, and the Rev. Or. J. E. Rockwell was elected in his place. Dr. Spear read the answer of the Presbytery to the complaint of Dr. Yan Dyke, Dr. Wells, Mr. Crosby and nineteen others against the action of the body in refusing to make a judicial investigation of their characters in view of the charges of "moral rottenness" made by Mr. Talmage, which were afterward withdrawn by him.

The document, which was very long, was adopted, and Drs. Spear, Ludlow and Rockwell were appointed to defend the action of the Presbytery before the Synod. The answer says that the request of the twenty-two members is a virtual charge against themselves of a report of whose existence the Presbytery has informed them that it has no knowledge. If Mr. Talmage made an accusation against them, a formal complaint should be made against thim. The answer further says: "The Presbytery deeply regrets and deplores the unhappy state of things in its own boson which has grown out of the trial of Dr. Talmage. It feels assured that this condition, in the present state of facts, is not to be improved by the judicial investigation of anybody, and that the action complained of was the wiscest possible in the circumstances. To keep up a necess agitation for the attainment of no practical end, for no reason which the law of the Church sustains, and with no prospect of good results, but with a very strong probability of evil and only evil, would manifestly be a display of passion not in accordance with that wisdom which is profitable."

The Rev. J. Milton Greene sent a letter r fusing to participate in the proceedings of the Presbytery yesterday on account of the "unbecoming haste" with which his resignation as treasurer was accepted. He said that the "p

Jonathan Oglen, chairman of the committee appointed to investigate the claim of the Tabernaele that its indebtedness to the Presbytery was offset by expenses incurred at the time when the General Assembly met in that church, reported that the claim of the Tabernaele was correct, the only question being as to the bill for board of delegates to the Assembly. Finally the report of the committee, showing that the Tabernaele was indebted to the Presbytery in the sum of \$160-72, was adopted.

DEATH OF A SHREWD RASCAL.

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Charles Sacia, the father of Marcus T. Sacia, one of the convicted conspirators in the Lewis will case, died yesterday in the Hudson County Church Hospital and Home, in Magnolia-ave., Jersey City Heights. Charles Sacia's career as a forger and confidence man is noteworthy. Witnesses in the Lewis will case testified that he offered them bribes of \$3,000 cach if they would testify in favor of Mrs. Jane H. Lewis, the bogus widow, and it is generally believed that he was the originator of this consultant.

spiracy.
In 1864 Sacia organized in Jersey City the Palisade Fire Insurance Company, taking the posi-tion of president, and making Lewis E. French its

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In 1874 Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State and Insurance Commissioner of New-Jersey, passed the office of the Palisade Fire Insurance Company in Washington-st., Jersey-City, and saw the sign. He had never received reports from the company, and did not know of its existence. Hegyisited the office and asked for a list of the officers and the members of the Board of Directors. He was shown a huge pile of bonds, mortgages and deeds, the reputed assets of the company. Mr. Kelsey made an examination into the affairs of the company, which was doing a good business, and it was found that the securities were bogus and that the company was bankrupt. Sacia and French were indicted for conspiracy to defraud. French were indicted for conspiracy to defraud. French was tried, convicted and sentenced to prison for eighteen months. The indictment against Sacia was never tried. It is also alleged that Sacia was the prime mover in the celebrated "Lyon County" bond swindle of Iowa. He was at one time sent to an insane asylum instead of a prison for selling lands in the middle of New-York Bay, to credulous persons. He returned to Jersey City after his release from the asylum fand lived in retirement with his family. His health was broken, and a month ago he was admitted to the hospital where he died. His early history is not known, but it is stated that at one time he was a lawyer in this city.

WORK OF THE ART STUDENTS' LEAGUE.

The annual meeting of the Art Students' League was held at the rooms of the society last evening to receive the annual reports and for the election of officers. The officers elected for the closetion of officers. The officers cleeted for the closetion of officers. The officers cleeted for the closetion of are J. S. Hartley, President; Mrs. Helena De Kay Gilder and Robert F. Bloodgood, Vice-Presidents; F. S. Church, Francis Waller and Mrs. Julia E. Baker, members of the Board of Control.. It is understood that the present instructors will be retained. The report showed an average attendance in the Life classes under Walter Shirlaw of twenty-three in the morning, ten in the afternoon (women), and twenty-five in the evening. In the Painting classes under William M. Class, the average monthly attendance has been sixty-one, mostly women. In the Antique class, under Mr. Beckwith, the average attendance was sixty. The Composition class, averaging thirty-five Istudents, has assembled once a week under the supervision of Mr. Shirlaw, who has given his time in this class without compensation. Attendance in the Sketch class has averaged fifty students. Lectures on artistic anatomy have been given once a week by J. S. Hartley; and lectures on perspective fortnightly by Frederick Diehlman. The membership off the society now is 133. The cost of maintaining the classes for the school year will be nearly \$6,000. The total income from membership fees and students class dues will be over \$8,000, leaving \$2,000 over expenses. WORK OF THE ART STUDENTS' LEAGUE.

THE MATCH WITH THE IRISH TEAM.

The directors of the National Rifle Association yesterday appointed the Autumn Prize Tournament to begin at Creedmoor September 14, and to continue the rest of the week. The special committee appointed to arrange for a return match with an Irish team at Dollymount about June 29, completed the plan for organizing an American team. It will consist of a captain, six men and at least one reserve. Four competitions for places on the team will be held at iCreedmoor on May 11, 12, 14 and 15, with lifteen shots at each distance of 800, 900 and 1,000 yards. The three competitors having the highest aggregate score on any three days out of the four will become members of the team. Any rifle associations or clubs in the country may hold competitions upon their own ranges for the selection of members of the team. Each competitor must be a native-born citizen and a resident of this country. THE MATCH WITH THE IRISH TEAM.

CHARGES DECLARED UNFOUNDED. CHARGES DECLARED UNFOUNDED.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the New-York Juvecale Asylum last evening, a long report, embodying the testimony of officers and others connected with the asylum, was submitted by the committee, consisting of J. F. Jay, E. M. Kingsley, and O. E. Wood, appointed to investigate the charges preferred against the management of the asylum. After hearing that having carefully considered in letail the evidence submitted in the report, "the Board records its deliberate judgment that the charges are not sustained by any evidence," but that they are disproved in every particular, and that the confidence of the Board in the management "of Superintendent Carpenter and the other accused persons remains absolutely undisturbed."

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The Rev. Dr. Elbert S. Perier, who offered his resignation of the pastorate of the Bedford Avenue Reformed Church, Brooklyn, on Sunday, has decided to remain in pastoral charge of the church. A meeting of the members of the church was held Monday evening, and resolutions were adopted absolutely refusing to accept the resignation, and declaring that Dr. Porter's withdrawal from the church would be an irreparable injury to it. There was some discussion over a resolution which requested any member of the consistory who held views contrary to those expressed in the other resolutions to "step down and out" forthwith, and it was finally withdrawn. Subscriptions were then called for to pay off the floating debt of \$6,237-31, and the entire amount was raised.

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The Erie and Champlain Canals were opened for navigation yesterday. This is two weeks earlier than they were opened last year, and merchants say that the indications are that a larger and more profitable business will pass through the canals than ever before in any one season. About 200 new boats have been built for this season, making a total fleet of between 1,100 and 1,200 boats. The repairs to the canals have been extensive, including a dozen pairs of new gates, and all the locks have been thoroughly repaired. There were between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 bushels of grain at Builhalo on Monday awaiting the opening of the canals, and an unusually large number of boats is on the way from the West, all loaded with grain.

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The new Erie Railway grain elevator, which is nearly finished, is now the most conspicuous object on the Jersey City river front. It is 365 feet in length, 96 feet in width and 156 feet in height, and its storage capacity will be 1,500,000 bushels. The lower story is of brick and above this the walls are of heavy planks two feet eight inches in width, fastened one upon another. The chimney is 153 feet in height. The elevator will be ready in July to receive grain.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALA Park Arenue Hotel-Senator Francis Kornan, of tics. Exercit House-Archbishop John J. Williams, of Boston ... First Arenue Hottel—Congressmen W. D. Wash Burn, of M.mosota, and W. W. Rica, of Massachusofts; C. Governor Henry Lipit of Rhode Island; Judge J. P. Put-nam, of Boston, and Dom M. Dick irson, of Detroit. Wind. John Hotte. Congressman John S. Newberry, of Detroit. and Daniel Robinson, of Troy ... New-Jork Hotel—Charles J. Bonaparte, of Baltimore. ... Clarendon Friet-John Newell, General Manager of the Lake Snore and Michigan Southern Hallway.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Apple trees are putting forth their leaves. Gold-st, between Frankfort and Beckman-sts, i

eing repaved. A fire in C. V. Sumpf's lounge factory at No. 136 Attorney-st. damaged the stock \$3,000, yesterday. Fancy fans to be used for decorations have the shape and hues of a huge pansy, sunflower or

Heliotrope is the newest color, and comes in all shades from the deep reddish purple to the pale

manve. The partition that fermerly divided the retunda in the Custom House from the walk has been re-

The Staten Island shad drift-net fishermen caught about 2,000 shad in the Lower Bay and Narrows yesterday.

The New-York and Manhattan Life Insurance Companies are enlarging their buildings by adding to them two stories,

"The Young Man in Chains" is the subject of a lecture to be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Carroll in Jane Street M. E. Church this evening.

Pansies and miguonette are the flowers most in favor this Spring, and milliners say that they can scarcely get enough of them to supply the demand. The unknown woman who was run over on Mon-day and killed by a Second Avenue street car was identified yesterday as Mary Rasekia, of No. 579

Two deaths from measles were reported yesterday from the New-York Founding Asylum—George Rogers, age eleven months, and Frank Van Ness, age six months.

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A vender of cough drops on Broadway has a sign with "Stop that coughing" in very large letters. But he seems unable to cure himself, for he is continually coughing.

Three steamships landed 2,694 immigrants at Castle Garden yesterday—the City of New-York, from Liverpool, 1,122; Devonia, from Glasgow, 1,090; Zeeland, from Antwerp, 482.

The new Sarah silk that has come in the latest

The new Sarah silk that has come in the latest importations is a soft twilled silk of the most pliable texture, but heavier than foulard. It comes in solid colors, embracing all the new tints.

In provements have been made in Washington-square. Seats have been placed around the foun-tain, and a pathway from the fountain to West Fourth-st, has been changed into a grass-plot. An unknown man fell to the payement in a fit yes-terday morning, at Third-ave, and East Thirty-six-th-st, and remained uneared for fully half an hour, when he was removed to Bellevue Hospital.

Imitations of the celebrated "Jersey" are seen muong the new imported costumes. They are of stocking-net and have few seams, but are simply and imitations of a handsome garment which is

made without seams.

The circulation of the English translation of Zola's novel "Nana" has been discontinued by the Mercantile Library by order of the Board of Direction. Fifty copies were bought and were circulated for two weeks before the order was issued.

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John Simon, age forty years, alservant in the employ of Mrs. Bascombe at One-hundred-and-eightieth-st. and Washington-ave, attempted to cur his threat resterday with a razor, but did not succeed. The solice took him to the hospital. His wounds are tickly slight. slight.

An old stove in one of the rooms of the City Hall
tambled to pieces yesterday morning and burning
wood fell upon the floor. Acting-Mayor Morris and
several of his assistants quenched the fire. The
room contains some of the archives of the City Gov-

rac New-York Independent Ice Company held its second annual meeting last evening at No. 77 Broome-st, Edward Breman was elected president. He reported favorably on the prospects of the company, and announced the enrolment of 100 additional members.

Officer Kennedy, of the Eighth Precinct, while pur-ming a crowd of disorderly persons in Variek-st, yes-erday morning, lost his pistol. It went off as it ell, and the bullet struck Patrick McGrath, of No 200 Hudson-st., in the hip, wounding him severely. McGrath was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

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The inability of the Health Officers to discover what had become of the body of Margaret Kaalita, who died in Castle Garden on March 30, was explained yesterday by the discovery that she had been buried on March 31 under the name of Maggie Colletta. The error was in the Coroner's effice.

Inspector McDermott will be buried in Calvary Cemetery to-day. The funeral procession, escorted by a platoon of pplice, will start from the house of the Inspector, and after services at St. Lawrence Church in East Eighty-fourth-st. will follow the remains to the Astoria Ferry at Ninety-second-st. The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported for the two weeks ending April 17, 1880:

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Mary Brown, age fifteen, of No. 40 Mulherry-st., and Francis Gunberg, age twenty, of No. 231 East Tenth-st., employed at No. 120 William-st., fell together from the fourth to the first story of the building through a hatchway yesterday afternoon, The girl's thigh was broken, and Gunberg received

severe bruises.

The late Avas G. Williams, ex-Sheriff of Brooklyn, and for many years a merchant of this city, was one of the first to see the advantage of insuring in the Mutual Life of New-York. He held poincies for \$11,000 in that company and the divideed additions increased the insurance to \$10,441. The claim was paid yesterday.

An officer from Minneapolis searched the records at Police Headquarters yesterday for news of Anton Cone, a resident of Minneapolis, who left that city on January 11, to go to Europe. He reached New-York on January 14, but did not take passage on any steamer. Nothing has been heard from him since. No trace of him was found by the police yesterday.

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The Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs lectured last evening to a large and frshionable andience at Association Hall on "The Effect of Christianity on the World's Hepe of Future Progress." The speaker described the results of the Christian despensation on past ages, and thence drew interences for the future. His address was attentively listened to, and often provoked hearty applause.

The new iron steamship Columbia, built by John Roach & Sons at Chester, P.-un., for the Oregon Rullway and Navigation Gonganav, is now bring at the foot of Ninth-st., Exal River, to receive her fittings before loading for her outward trip. Her dimensions are 334 feet over all, 38½ feet beam and 23 feet depth of held. The ship is provided with a great many improvements, and she ranks among the finest vessels of her class in the United States.

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finest vessels of her class in the United states.

Officer McGuire, of the Fourteenth Precinct, on Menday night arrested Michael Hegela, age twenty-six years, a laborer, in the rear of the premises No. 36 flaxter-st. He had shaved off his whiskers and otherwise disguised himself to prevent identification; but was recognized as the man who stabbed Michael Demonter in a brawl over a game of cards in a beer slap at No. 35 Mulberry-ta, on April 12. He was arraigned before Justice Kilbreth yesterday at the Tombs, and was committed without ball.

Franty Haymos, twenty verify of arc, of No. 56 East Third-st., was arrested for disorderly commet on Monday night, and locked up in the Eldridge Street Police Station. About midnight, the lock-sing up another prisoner, the watchman heard the sound of heavy breathing. Rushing to her cell, he found her handing to the cell door. He can her down, and found that she used her handkerchief as a noose. Justice Smith, in the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, sent her to the Island for three months.

Mrs. Margoret Oninn, a dressmaker, died on Mon-

Mrs. Margeret Quinn, a dressmaker, died on Mon-Mrs. Margeret Quinn, a dressmaker, died on Menday night in Bellevne Hospital from starvation. She was found by the police on Saturday in a fourthstory room of the tenement house No. 549 Firstave, sick and helpless. Her husband is a shoomaker and the woman's fellow-tenants say that both were hard drinkers. Mrs. Quinn had been sick a week before found by the police, and had suffered for the necessities of life. The case was reported to the Coroner for investigation with the diagnosis by the hospital physicians of "starvation."

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Officer Crowley, of the Friteenth Preemet, who is on detailed daily in citizen's clothes, yesterday bought a quarter ticket in the Hawana Loitery from William Dauphin, in Bond-st., paying therefor out of his own pocket 75 cents. Then he arrested Dauphin on a charge of violating the statute pertaining to lotteries. Justice Bixby, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, before whom the officer took his prisoner, held the accused man for trial in \$1,000, which he gave at once. Dauphin described himself as forty-four years old, born in France, hying at No. 6 Bond-st., and an importer. ing at No. 6 Bond-st., and an importer.

BROOKLYN. The South (Reformed) Classis of Long Island held its Spring meeting yesterday in the South Reformed Church, at Third-ave, and Fifty-third-st.

The sale of property in arrears of taxes, etc., was resumed yesterday, but as only a few bidders were present it was again postponed, only one sale being made.

Alfred Mangott, convicted of counterfeiling 5-cent pieces, was sentenced by Judge Benedict yesterday to two years' imprisonment in the Albany Penitentiary.

bany Penitentiary.

Colonel James McLeer has declined the Brigadier-Generalship of the Fifth Brigade, to which he was elected on April 13, and will remain in command of the 14th Regiment. " Scarecrows and Cherubs " is the odd title of an

entertainment to be repeated in the chapel of the Clinton Avenue Congregational Church to-morrow evening. The stage scenery has been prepared by James M. Hart.

The Rev. Thomas Harrison, known as the boy preacher and the young revivalist, will begin a series of revival meetings in the Brooklyn Tabernacle to-morrow evening. These will be continued every evening afterward except on Saturdays. The peculiar actions of two men in Marcy-ave... mar Vernon-ave., on Monday, attracted attention. They seemed to be burying something in the ground, and after they had gone away, four large keys were unearthed at the spot where the men had been. The keys are similar to those used in store doors.

George Fields, of No. 1,012 Myrtle-ave.,

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George Fields, of No. 1,012 Myrtle-ave., found a variety constructed sewer enlyert in Vernon-ave., near Yates-ave., yesterday morning. The man was identified as Eugene Carberry, a laborer at Barren Island, who was last seen in a dramshop in Throop-ave. at 11 p. m., Monday. He was intoxicated then, and is supposed to have fallen unto the culvert.

JERSEY CUY.

An attempt was made early yesterday morning to rob the hat manufactory of Carley & Co., in North Canal-st. The burglars packed up twenty-four dozen hats, when they were discovered and fired upon by the watchman. They escaped.

A portion of S. Halsey & Son's Japanned leather

LONG ISLAND.

STATEN ISLAND. STAPLETON,-Ex-Justice Kassner, of Stapleton, is LAKE GROVE.-William Barto, the young Amity-

ville businest, who escaped from the office of the Justice two years ago, was rearrested at Lake Grave, L. L. on Monday. He attempted to macry a third woman at that place, which led to his arrest.

THE COURTS.

WISHING TO SEE HIS FATHER'S BODY.

The centest of the will of Frank Leslie was

continued yesterday before Surrogate Calvin. The counger son, who claims the name of Frank Leslie, but

who, the preponent insists, should still be known by the name of Harry Leslie, was on the stand. His evidence went over much of the ground covered by the testimony

dramatic way about going to see his father's dead

said to her: "I could not see my father when he was atre-I suppose you will let me see him dead." She maswered: "Let me take your hand and I will lead you

answered; "L't me take your mand an't I will lead you to see the man whom you have mardered."
"Did you take her hand I't caused asket.
"Not much." replied the wilness with an intonation that pravois of lair her, despite the character of the cre-cimistances of which he was teativing. He also resulted concerning his employment by his father, his work, his brainess enterprises, his separation from his father's es-tablishment, the quarret over the mane, and the final extrancement.

DECISIONS, Etc.-April 20,

net. Posyene at Blanch and the color of central release Anderson of the court of central release Anderson of the color of central release and the color of central release and the color of By Judge Goepp.—Marphp agt. Bowe; Moritz agt. Fellows:

Kinkel agt. Hurley; DeCoursey agt. Russell; Decker agt.

COURT OF APPALS—CRUTCH, C. J., and Folizer, Rapallo, Andrews, Miller, Earl and Dauberth, J.J.—Court opens at 10 a.m. Held in the General Term Room of the Supreme Court.—Nos. 208, 211, 168, 177, 188, 198, 179, 189.

SUPPLIES COURT—CHARMES—DOUDDER, J.—COURT SERON AT 10:30 a.m. Calendar called at 14 a.m.—Nos. 8, 10, 26, 56, 63, 66, 67, 48, 100, 118, 121, 131, 146, 149, 158, 164, 165, 169, 172, 173, 177, 182, 186, 188, 192, 194, 195, 196, 203, 207, GENERAL TERM—Advantage sinc. 18.

SPECIAL TERM—Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10:30 a.m.—Law and Fract.—Nos. 024, 525, 530, 517, 526, 257, 605, 526, 616, 651, 652, 565, 576, 570, 578, 583, 584, 594, 597, 562, 267, 448, 526, 558, 563, 162.

CIRCUTT—PART I———J.,—Court opens at 10:30 a.m.—Case PART II—Lawrence, J.—Court opens at 10:30 a.m.—Case CALENDARS THIS DAY.

CHCCHT-PART 1 J.-Court opens at 10:30 a. m.—Caso on. No. 1836., Claifle et al. agt. the Guardian Insurance Company. No day calendar.

PART 11 - Beach. J.—Court opens at 10:30 a. m.—Nos. 3075, 1843, 10:84, 1667, 1580, 2392, 3071, 3072, 841, 1493, 1636, 1644, 854, 2904, 1397, 1804, 1063, 1664, 507, 1837, 1392, 1860, 1439, 2191, 1659, 1646, 1667, 1587, 1687, 1687, 1687, 1887, 1892, 18 Freedman. J.—Court opens at 11 a. m.—Nos. 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 1227, 631, 669, 356, 191,

David Lopes, a veteran of the War of 1812, was buried yesterday, the funeral taking place at the house of his son-in-law, J. De-Long, No. 131 Eighth-st., Eastern District. Mr. Lopes was ninety-two years of age. His children, grandehildren, and great grandchildren number eighty-four, General Abraham Daily and other veterans attended the funeral. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. D. Walls Wells.

At the meeting of the Supervisors' Penitentiary Committee vesterday, Supervisor Lauer said that Felix Campbell, who had presented a bill for steam fitting furnished to the county, had charged 20 per cent in excess of the regular price for such articles. Mr. Campbell protested that he had asked only a fair price, and denounced Mr. Lauer as "falsifer" and a "picayine fellow." Mr. Lauer apocaled to the other members of the committee for protection. 2310, 2374, 2719, 2399, 2324, 1390, 2382, 2385, 2169, 2384, 1664, 1914, 2028, 1302, 1459, 2382, 2385, 2169, 2514, 2528, 2294.

PART II—Van Hoesen, J.—Court onens at 11 a. m.—Nos. 1703, 1718, 1734, 1737, 1738, 1648, 1739, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1738, 1737, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1747, 1730, 1781, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1736, 1737, 1747, 1 The members of the First Presbyterian Church of Jerzey City have pleatest \$17,000 toward the payment of the debt of \$20,000.

The Board of Canvassers of Hudson County met at Jersey City yesterday, and after selecting Justice Stewart, of the IId District, to act as chairman, adjourned until to-day.

The new station of the Third Police Preemet of Jersey City, in Oakland-ave., is nearly ready for occurancy. The building, which cost about \$11,000, is conveniently arranged.

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GENERAL MESSIONS-PART I— oving. J.—Ine People agt. John Lyuch, Thomas Fanuing, robbery; Robert Wilson, James J. Lamb. Patrick Healy, burgiary; George A. Pane, bigamy; Jacob Stranes, grand larceny; Charles H. Davis, Inles pretences; Lizzie Warkins, Josephine Young, petti larceny and receiving stolen goods; Stephane Pelekroni, abortion.

PART II—Smyth, R.—The People agt. Martin Melnerny, Michael McInerny, homicide; Mary Scaolon, Louisa Rice, grand larceny; Patrick McCov, burglary; Jeremiah O'Brien, grand larceny. At the meeting of the Jersey City Board of Education on Monday night six census-takers were elected as follows: S. E. Avres, J. Grunes, C. Freeman, J. P. Noonan, J. H. Neubahr and T. R. Kothe. NEWARK.

An employé of Walls, Campbell & Co., machinists, was caught in the belting of some machinery and carried over a shaft on Monday afternoon. He was UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—In the Supreme Court of the United States to-day the following business

was transacted:

No. 207.—Sanford Baker, appellant, art. Geo. P. Hum
obrev, et al. —Argument concluded. No. 269.—The First Naloual Bank of Branswick, Me., appellant, agt. the County of
'ankton; appeal from Baseta.—Submitted. No. 271.—Anna
M. Sims, appellant act. Wm. Everhardt et al.; appeal from
Indiana.—Argument begun.
Adjourned until to-merrow at 12 o'clock. a pertion of S. Halsey & Soits Japanned teletic manufactory, in Belmont-ave., was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. An amount of valuable stock was ruined. The fire is thought to be the work of an incendiary. This is the third time the place has been set on fice within a few months. The loss is about \$5,000 and is fully covered by in-

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, TO DAY.

RAHWAY.—The family of Abel Shotwell was consoned on Monday by eating wild parsnips which had been grated up with some horse radish. It is hought that all will recover. thought that all will recover.

PATERSON.—The Board of Aldermen elected C.

N. Sterritt president. The Mayor's message shows
the city debt to be \$1,388,035. The Board of Aldermen is Republican and the Board of Education

PORT OF NEW-YORK APRIL 20.

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Str City of New-York (Br), Land, Liverpool April 8 and Queenstown B, to John G Dale.
Str Devonia (Br), Young, Giasgow April 8 and Moville, to Henderson Bros.
Str Romulus (Br), Devoll, Barrow 18 days, with pig iren o order; vessel to master. is a tic.

ELIZINETH.—The trial of David J. Mecker, who is under indictment for conspiracy to rob the City of Elizabeth, N. J., was to have been begun at Elizabeth yesterday. The accused man appeared before Judge Van Syckle in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, accompanied by his counsel, A. Q. Keasbey, Judge Joseph Alward and George T. Pairott, Owing, however, to sickness in the family of Attorney-General Stockton, who was to assist the Prosecutor, the trial was postponed to Monday, May 10. Ser Crane Br., Lord. Middlesbrough afarch 24, via Phila-leiphia, in J S Tucker & Co. Sir Patmerin (Br., Conner, Cardenas 5 days, with sugar of denham, Pickering & Co. Sir Hadson, Freeman, New Orleans Picketing & Co.

Discreting & Co.

Ob. Freeman, New-Orieans 7 days, to Clark & Jamaica.—The North Classis of the Reformed (Dutch) Clareb met at Jamaica yesterday. The Second Church of Newtown was disbanced. The Rev. Emanuel Schuitz was received as a member of the Classis. The church at Savville was granted a relief of \$250. The church at Laurel Hill asked for \$200 to settle with its pastor, and it was refused. There were lears that the church would go over to the Episcopalians.

STATEN ISLAND.

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Briz Switt (Nov.), Hope, Zaza 20 days, with cedar and mahozany to F Nemogyeli vossel to master.

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QUERS-HOWN, April 20.—Arr str Olympus, from Boston for
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Estropean, From Battomore, Quencis-town, April 29.—Arr str Olympus, from Boston for Laverpool.

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